

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Previously Presented) A skin care product, characterized in that it comprises tall oil fatty acids or their derivatives and one or several vegetable oils selected from the group consisting of sunflower oil, grape seed oil, rapeseed oil, tall seed oil, flaxseed oil, peanut oil, buckthorn oil, blackcurrant seed oil, Siberian pine seed oil, safflor oil, primrose oil, and a mixture of two or more oils.

2. (Previously Presented) The product according to claim 1, characterized in that it comprises 1-90 % by weight of tall oil fatty acids or their derivatives and 99-10 % by weight of vegetable oil(s).

3. (Currently Amended) The product according to claim 1 or 2, characterized in that it contains a UV protection agent, ~~for example titanium dioxide.~~

4. (Previously Presented) The product according to claim 3, characterized in that the amount of the UV protection agent is 0.1-10 % by weight.

5. (Currently Amended) The product according to claim 1, characterized in that it is a cream, oil, emulsion, gel, spray, foam, stick, roll-on or scalp liquid.

6. (Currently Amended) The product according to claim 1, characterized in that it contains mineral oil, ~~preferably paraffin oil or white oil.~~

7. (Previously Presented) The product according to claim 6, characterized in that the amount of mineral oil is 1-30 % by weight.

8. (Currently Amended) The product according to claim 1, characterized in that it contains a thickener, ~~such as metal soap or solid paraffin.~~

9. (Previously Presented) The product according to claim 8, characterized in that the amount of thickener is 1-30% by weight.

10. (Currently Amended) The product according to claim 1, characterized in that it contains 0.1-10% by weight of glycerol.

11. (Currently Amended) ~~The use of~~ A method of making a preparation for the treatment of dry and scaling skin comprising combining tall oil fatty acids or their derivatives and vegetable oils selected from the group consisting of sunflower oil, grape seed oil, rapeseed oil, tall seed oil, flaxseed oil, peanut oil, buckthorn oil, blackcurrant seed oil, Siberian pine seed oil, safflor oil, primrose oil and a mixture of two or more oils, ~~for the preparation of skin care products for dry and scaling skin.~~

12. (Currently Amended) ~~The use of preparations~~ A method of making a preparation for the prevention and treatment of psoriasis, dermatitis, eczemas or scaling, comprising combining tall oil fatty acids or their derivatives and vegetable oils selected from the group consisting of

sunflower oil, grape seed oil, rapeseed oil, tall seed oil, flaxseed oil, peanut oil, buckthorn oil, blackcurrant seed oil, Siberian pine seed oil, safflor oil, primrose oil and a mixture of two or more oils, ~~for the preparation of preparations for the prevention and treatment of psoriasis, dermatitis, eczemas or scaling.~~

13. (Previously Presented) A method for the treatment and prevention of psoriasis, dermatitis, eczema or scaling, wherein an effective amount of a preparation which comprises tall oil fatty acids or their derivatives and vegetable oils is spread on the skin.

14. (New) The product according to claim 3, wherein said UV protection agent is titanium dioxide.

15. (New) The product according to claim 6, wherein said mineral oil is paraffin oil or white oil.

16. (New) The product according to claim 8, wherein said thickener is a metal soap or a solid paraffin.